OTHER ITEMS PROM THE SOUTH SIDE SPECIAL

peath of a Chesterfield Man-Rev. Mr. Baldy Makes a Fine Impression-Council Meeting To-Night-Personals and Briefs.

The death of Mr. William Hay Garnett, at his home, on the corner of Foursouth and Porter streets, yesterday, mused widespread regret. For nine years to had been a prominent member of the danchester Bar, and the future seemed o hold much in store for him. He was a nan of very genial temperament and was much liked by a wide circle of acquaintances. He had been ill for several weeks with typhoid-fever and complications, but it had only been within the hast few days that all hope of his re-covery had been abandened. He was in a semi-conscious condition almost to the last, and frequently appeared to recog-nize his wife and Rev. Mr. Spencer, of Cowardin-Avenue church, who remained with him until death came.

SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

scensed, who was the son of Dr mas N. Garnett, was in the 34th year f his age, having been born in Cumber and county April 12, 1866. He attende and county April 12, 1866. He alternate public schools of that county and der McDownan's Academy. He came a Manchester with his family when he as 18 years old, and commenced the ady of law under Judge Clopton. He netred the law class at the University Virginia in 1888, and after completing to course, returned to Manchester, here he was admitted to the bar in 90. He met with unusual success in

the spring campaign in 1892, he was sed Commonwealth's Attorney of chester, and served one term. He an ardent politician, and renthe Democratic party yeoman serIn 1896 he canvassed the Third for Captain John Lamb for Con-

nnie Fendley, who survives him,

n at 3 o'clock from Meade-Me-hurch. It will be conducted by Dennis. The pall-bearers will

udge Hancock, Judge Gregory; H. E. Duval, Henry Fitzgerald, Cogbill, and Joseph W. Bronaugh. e-Messrs, William F. Gilliam, ine Royali, A. L. Adamson, George

ock at the Hustings Court. George P. Taylor died on Sunday had been for many years on

THE NEW PASTOR PREACHES Rev. E. V. Baldy, who has accepted the astorate of Balibridge-Street Baptist

TO BE MARRIED TO-DAY.

Ars. Mary Theresa Metcalfe and Mr. S. Moody, Jr., will be married at 9:30 clock this morning at Fifth-Street Methodist church. After the ceromony ha couple will leave for Natural Bridge. The City Council will meet in called The Street Committee and the committee of the Business-Men an appropriation for a float to rep ont the city in the great parade on the . The Street Committee will meet at

this afternoon. Derty Council, No. 13, Jr. O. U. A. M., wansboro', will give an oyster supper bers of the State Council of Virginia all be present, and a good time is prom-The following committee has been nted to furnish the supper; J. C. 14, William J. Morrissett, P. A. 11, G. A. Moore, J. R. Falson, and J. H. Taylor. This committee will also or the comfort of all who attend. which resulted in several disturbances. They appeared before Mayor Maurice yesterday morning and settled up for

PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

The Board of Supervisors met at Ches-Rev. W. R. Constable is conducting ser-

View at Ashury chapel this week.

Postmaster Weisiger has received permission from the Postmaster-General to Mrs. George Ety is confined to her home, on Sie kinn street, by sickness. The German Club gave their regular dance faturday evening at Leader Hall

The revival ervices held at Fifth-Street Methodist church were largely at-tended Sanday night. Roy. J. S. Wallace preached a towerful sermon. There were ontinue this week.

The vested choir of Mende-Memorial

church will meet next saturday evening at 430 o'clock at the church for practice

JANAUSCHER'S MEG MERRILES.

Her Portrayal a Splendid Piece of

Acting-Darkest Russin To-Night. Meg Merrilea." a remantle play in a slogue and four acts-a version adapt-

ed from "Gny Mannering," by Paul Kes-ter-was presented at the Academy lasnight by Madame Janauschek and her night by Madame Janauschek and her company. Madame Janauschek, in the title role, portrayed the Gypsy Queen with a seen spreciation of the requirements of the difficult character, and her nating at times was superb. The death scene in the last act was a splendid effort. At the end of the second act Madame Janauschek was given a curtain call.

The company is as yet new in the piece, and after a few more performances the play will be doubt be much better handled. Mr. Alexander Vincent, as Dominic Sampson, did the best work of any of the male members of the cast. The company is not an exceptionally strong one. The effect of the final act was some-

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what spoiled by the failure to discharge

"Darkest Russla" will be the attraction at the Academy to-night. This is a Grama that is now in its sixth season. always been well received. The story deals with Russian political life, and the characters are all very well drawn. The company carries a good deal of special

FINE BILL AT BIJOU.

Press Eldridge Makes a Big Hit and the Others Score Well.

Perhaps the best show that has been een at the Bijou opened a week's engagement at that popular place of amusement last night to an audience that packed the theatre. As usual, many people who had not secured seats in advance were turned amodate them. The Sankey brothers, commodate them. The Salvay could be caulibrists, opened the entertainment, presenting one of the best acts of its kind ever seen in Richmond. The clever performers performed marvellous feats of contortion and strength. The Fansons came next and presented a very good

ame next and presented a very good kid" turn that kept the audience in a our of laughter.

Deveaux and Devenux followed and preented an excellent musical act. The omedy introduced was up to date and riginal.

denmond. The tricks performed by dever bicycle experts were very diffi-

DEATH OF MR. THOMAS DALY.

A Former Resident Dies at His Sister's Here-Other Deaths,

Mr. Thomas Daly, long a well-known vesterday, afternoon, at the residence of storday, afternoon, at the residence of a sister, Miss Ann Daly, 3105 Lester reet. Deceased was a native of the bunty Rescommon, Ireland. For the last sieen years he had lived in New York, eccased as survived by two sisters and brother—Misses Ann and Mary Daly, this city, and Brother Morris, of averian Brothers, Baltimore. The late of the Annual Michael Daly were brothers the deceased. The funeral will take see from St. Patrick's church to-morry morning at 10 o'clock, with requiem ass.

Theresa J. Glenn, wife of Mr. Wil-Theresa J. Glenn, wife of Mr. Wil-Glenn, died Sunday morning at the No. 1617 Taylor street, and her took place from Grove-Avenue yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, d leaves a husband-Mr. William mand one son-James Glenn, wmains of Mr. William McRae ld to rest yesterday. His funeral

Mrs. Brooks was one of the oldest mem-bers of Grace-Street Presbyterian church. The services were conducted by Dr. Jere Witherspoon, and the music was fur-nished by the choir of his church. Mrs. Mollie Valentine died at the Home for Incurables yesterday afterneon at 1 oclock. The funeral will take place this afternoon at her old homestead, "Mill-lingtoe," In Louisa county.

DOCTORS TO ASSEMBLE.

Medical Society of Virginia Convenes at the Jefferson To-Night.

The Medical Society of Virginia will convene in its thictieth annual session in the convention hall at the Jefferson this of this city, the president of the society, will call the body to order, and Dr. J. Allison Hodges will deliver the address of welcome. Dr. L. Lankford will re-

come in to-day.

The programme embraces clinics at the Medical College of Virginia and the University College of Medicine Wednesday and Thursday night there will be a concert at the Jefferson roof garden, to be followed by a banquet at 10 c'clock the same night. The banquet will be for the members of the seciety only.

IT MAY COME TO RICHMOND.

Chances of Securing the Next St. Andrew's Convention.

"I think there is a good chance of Rich f the Brotherhood of St. Andrew," Mr. Joseph H. Shepherd yesterday, hav-

or just returned from the convention of the society at Columbus, O.

"I cannot state positively that it will ome but a majority of the council which elects the next meeting place is said to avor Richmond. Mr. T. C. Ruffin, of carton Heights, is a member of the council.

"I heard a great deal of politics while a Ohio" said Mr. Shepherd. "Bryan's our of the State was creating a great eal of interest. I talked with a great hany persons, who thought John R. Me-

Alling Woman Should Write.

Women who suffer from ill health, female completents, or other difficulties, should write to the Jamous physician. Dr. Greene of 85 W, 14th St., New York City, who is without doubt the most successful woman's physician in the world. He is the discoverer of that greatest health-giver Dr. Greene's Nervura, and he will tell you all about your completests, and give you advice and counsel without charge, how to be perfectly and permanently cured. You can feel perfectly free to write confidentially to him about your case.

nomination the Hon, R. C. Wellford, of this county, in a handsome speech. Mesars, J. W. Chinn and W. T. Sneed, and others, made seconding speeches. here being no other nominations, Mr. Weliford received 7671-2 votes, and was eclared the nominee by acclamation. pon being informed of his nomination, Mr. Wellford came forward and accept-

od the honor in a brief speech.

Mr. T. J. Downing, the Commonwealth's Attorney of Lancaster, being present, was called upon, and made a ringing speech.

ringing speech.

The meeting was largely attended and was very enthusiastic (although the friends of Pinkard declined to attend), there being present a majority of regularly elected delegates from the two counties. There can be no question about the legality and regularity of Mr. Wellford's prepination. The recent decision the legality and regularity of Mr. Wellford's nomination. The recent decision
of the special committee of the State
Committee being adverse to the contention of the Pinkard faction, practically
gave the Wellford people control of the
convention; therefore, the Pinkard following abstained from participating in
the meeting. The result to-day is just
what it would have been at the first
meeting had Mr. Pinkard's friends not meeting, had Mr. Pinkard's friends not insisted then upon casting the vote of Litwalton and Corrottoman precincts, al-though the former was unanimously against him and the latter was represented by two contesting delegations

AUGUSTA DEMOCRATS

Addressed by Swanson, Churchman, and Todd.

STAUNTON, VA., October 23.-(Speciai.)-A big Democratic meeting was addressed here to-day by Hon. Claude Swanson, of the Fifth Virginia Congressional District. He told how the Vir ginia Democracy, since wresting the State from the Republicans, in 1884, had increased the appropriations to schools colleges, normals, the asylums, and to the disabled Confederates. He declaimed vigorously against expansion, spoke in favor of retaining a coaling station in the Philippines, and denounced a large standing army as needless and inimical to the liberty and lasting prosperity of

people.

Messrs, Churchman and Todd, the nomnees for the House of Delegates, spoke Mr. Churchman gave an account of his stewardship in the last Legisla-ture. Mr. Todd, who will go to the Legis-lature for the first time, made an excel-lent speech, in which he said he would be with the Democracy in caucus and on all party questions, but would take pleasure, where party measures were not at issue, in serving individuals of all parties.

IN BRUNSWICK.

A Joint Discussion-Mann and Buford-Lamb Also Speaks.

LAWRENCEVILLE, VA., October 23 .-(Special.)-There was a large crowd in atwick county to-day, as it was expected that there would be a joint discussion between Judge W. H. Mann, of Nottoway, and Mr. E. P. Buford, of Brunswick, candidates for the Senate. Terms of discus opened in a speech of thirty minutes, replied in a speech of an hour. Judge Mann followed in a speech of forty-five minutes, and Mr. Buford concluded in

twenty five minutes.

Just before Mr. Buford's conclusion Congressman John Lamb arrived upon the scene. He was introduced, and made ral legislation, touching lightly upon the situation in this district. At the conclu-sion of his speech Mr. Buford made a brief reply. Dr. R. S. Powell, the Independent candidate for the House of Dele-

THE KENTUCKY.

The Coming Builders' Trial-Some of W

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., October 21 .-(Special.)-The first-class battleship Kentucky, which has been advanced about 98 per cent, toward completion by her builders, the Newport News Ship-Building and bry-Dock Company, will go out on her builder's trial next Tuesday (October 21st). The big defender, painted white from stem to Stern, with both of her large superimposed turrets in position and all of the guns of her main battery aboard, will leave the ship-yard about aboard, will leave the ship-yard about 6 o'clock in the morning, manned by a picked crew of two hundred ship-yard employees and will go about twenty miles outside of the Varginia capes for the purpose of making a speed trial and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between Old Potat Comfort and Thimble Light, in Hammton Roads, After the anchors are remains of Mr. Wallace McRae hild to rest yesterday. His funeral place from the First Preabyterian ch at 4 o'clock.

The first test will be that of the anchors took place from her late resides took place from the lateral from the first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. The first test will be that of the anchors, which will take place between the purpose of making a speed triat and testing the engines and steering gear. get under way again, and on the way out her steering gear will be tested. When the ocean is reached, a speed run under forced draft will be made in order to find out what the ship can do. The battleship Kearsarge, sister ship of the Kentucky, developed a speed of 171-4 knots, according to the log, on her builder's trial, and the Kentucky is expected to do as well. If not better. The Kentucky will be steamed ahead at full speed for about an hour, and on this run no other tests will be made, the builders and naval officers aboard taking this opportunity to observe the workings of the engines and machinery under a forced draft spurt. A number of tests of the steering gear must be made. The Kentucky can be steered by any one of three methods—the telemoter, wire rope, or by hand. One interesting test will be to time the ship as it turns in the smallest possible semi-circle. The Ke sarge, on her builder's trial, made complete semi-circle in just two and a half minutes, which surprised the naval officers aboard. Many of the smaller and faster ships in the mavy cannot make : turn in such short time, and no battle p in the navy to-day can equal The Kentucky will return to the shipyard at night and the work of preparing the ship for her official trial over the government course, off the Massachusetts cial trial will take place about two weeks The ship-yard will be represented on

the builder's trial by General-Superin-tendent Walter A. Post; M. V. D. Doughty, superintendent of hull con-struction; James Rowbottom, superintendent of machinery department; C. Bailey, designing engineer; Ernest Eachman, chief engineer, and a number of engineers and draftsmen. Of the officers who will command the Kentucky after she goes into commission, there will be aboard the battleship's commander, Cap-tain C. M. Chester, who commanded the ruiser Cincinnati during the war with Spain: Lieutenant-Commander Charles J. Badger, executive officer: Lieutenant-Commander Rohrer, navigating officer, and Lieutenant C. A. Carr, chief engineer. Captain W. M. Folger, who will command the Kearsarge, will also be aboard. The Bureau of Construction and Repair of the navy will be repre-sented by Naval-Constructor J. J. Wood-ward. There will be very few invited gests aboard the battleship on the builder's run.

The Kentucky is an exact duplicate of the Kearsarge, and the same care has been taken in her construction. The engines were built under the direction of the same men, and are of the same supe rior workmanship. The hull-work was directed by the same superintendent. Everything the Kearsarge has done the Kentucky should be able to do. It is expected, however, that on her official trial trip she will make a much higher rate of

emembered that the bursting of a feed water-pipe on the official trial of the Kearsarge threw a lot of cold water into fiable and proper. the boilers, and resulted in greatly reducing her average speed, which, however, was far in excess of the contract requirement. The officers of the Navai Board of Inspection and Survey and the

knot ship and with fair weather, favorable sea conditions and barring accident, the builders expect the Kentucky to average in the neighborhood of 17.5 knots when the ship is speeded on her official of speed when the Kentucky is tried un-der the eyes of the official trial board,

The Kearsarge and Kentucky are the only battleships in the world fitted with the superimposed turrets, and great interest centres in their experimental tests under fire, by reason of the fact that the Naval Board of Construction at Washington is considering the advisability of providing the three way 14 cm but here. arge and Kentucky ing battery arrangement tleships. It is well known that man a when it was first suggested by Lies tion five years ago are to-day among its strongest supporters. All of the officers who are attached to the Kearsarge and Kentucky favor the double-turret battery

Captain Folger, the Kearsarge's com-Captain Folger, the Kearsarges mander, says that the military principle of the double turrets is entirely correct and extremely effective, compared with the battery arrangement of the Massachusetts, Indiana, Oregon, and Iowa, and the most favorable results may be anticipated. At one time it was said that Captain Foiger was opposed to the plan, out whatever may have been his opinion when the turrets were only on paper, he is certainly in favor of the plan as emnodied in the construction of the big ship he will command. As he was at one time at the head of the Bureau of Ordnance-in Washington, and is regarded as an expert on ordnance for fighting craft, his pinion in this case is worth a great deal,

Captain Chester, the Kentucky's commander, has favored the double-turret battery arrangement from the start, and to-day he is one of the strongest support ers of the plan. In speaking of the merits of the plan. In speaking of the merits of the superimposed turret, he said he did not wish to be quoted, but from his remarks it is very evident that he looks forward to a highly successful test under fire of the main batteries of the Kearearns and Kentucky.

THE ANDERSON CASE,

Dr. Ramsey on the Stand-Not Damaging to Prisoner.

CHATHAM, VA., October 23.-(Special.) Dr. R. T. Ramsey, of Toshes, in this county, who is considered the most important witness for the Commonwealth in the Anderson case, took the witness stand this morning shortly after couri assembled, and almost the entire day was consumed in his examination. Dr. Ramsey testified that when called in as consulting physician to see Miss Watson, he found her in a state of great prostration, in fact, in a very critical condition; that Dr. Anderson, who was present, informed witness that she was first attacked with wrip, which after. present, informed witness that she was first attacked with grip, which after-wards developed into brain-fever; that she had suffered great pain, to alleviate which he had administered hypodermically large doses of morphine, and had als given her internally bromidia and mor phia combined; that witness suggested less medicine and more nourishment and gentle stimulants, which suggestion was adopted, and the patient began to im-prove, and eventually recovered suffi-ciently to go about the house, when she ook her own life with laudanum. In the mean time witness discovered that she was in a delicate condition, and commu-nicated the fact to her father, who asked her in witness's presence if Dr. Anderson was responsible for her condition, and she

was responsible for her condition, and she stated he was not.

When asked the direct question as to whether or not the treatment resorted to by Dr. Anderson was justified by the symptoms which he stated had existed prior to witness's arrival. Dr. Parasay prior to witness's arrival, Dr. Ramsey inswered that it was. He also stated that he would not say that the morphia and bromidla administered by Dr. Anderson would have killed the young lady if con-tinued, because witness did not know what size doses had been administered, nor at what intervals.

MRS. C. S. WEST, Mashville, Tenn., writes :- "This wonderful medicine sught to be in every house where there are girls and western." As this is really the whole question in the case, the counsel for the prisoner claim that Dr. Ramsey's evidence has

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timony court adjourned until Wednesday morning, in order to allow Mr. Jackson Walters, one of the jurors, to return home to see his wife and child, who are reported to be ill.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

Deliberate Attempt of a Child to Commit Suicide. WINCHESTER, VA., October 21 -- (Spe

suicide on last Friday night. Charles suicide on last Friday night. Charles suaughter, an 8-year-old boy, received perhaps fatal injuries by applying a lighted match to his clothing, which had long the match to his clothing, which had contained been scaled in kerosene-oil. perhaps fatal injuries by applying a lighted match to his clothing, which had previously been soaked in kerosene-oil. At the time it was stated that "the accident" was the result of childleh curiosity to see a blaze, but on yesterday l

After waiting for over two weeks for his return, H. C. Shenk, of Stephen City, pear here, notified the Commonwealth's-Attorney's office to-day that a stranger not been heard of since, and Mr. Shenk offers \$55 reward for his arrest.

NORFOLK.

Torpedo-Boat Trial-Reported Dis-

appearance-Shuckers' Strike. NORFOLK, VA., October 21 .- (Special.) The torpedo-boat Talbot, burning petroleum fuel, was given another spin over the four-mile measured course off Fort Monroe at noon to day. She developed the greatest speed yet obtained with the new fuel, although only one boiler was

The police are investigating the reported disappearance of Edward Butler, who has recently been canvassing the suburbs for the sale of Bibles and religious lite-rature. Evangelist J. P. Kendall, who employed him, reported the matter to the Police Department. The missing man is

At the Methodist preachers' meeting to-



A Woman Only Knows

what suffering from falling of the womb, whites, painful or frequing mannes, or any disease of the distinctly feminine organetie. A non may sympa-thise or pity but he can not know the agents also cost through—the terrible outering, so patiently borns, which sobs her of beauty, hope and happi-ness. Yet this suffering really is possibles.

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done their client no harm, but, on the contrary, is in line with other expert testimony which will be introduced, showing that Dr. Anderson's treatment was justition to the legislatures of Virginia, asking peressman-elect Roberts, the poly t they were signed by the ministers in-

sumed the proportions of a lockout in all but two houses. Crosby & Co. started up with twenty-nine union shuckers at work and Higgins & Co. with about 100. In all the other packing-houses, however, bus-ness was practically suspanded, 1.00 General-Superintendent Post said:

"Kentucky will do all that Kearsarge can do, under favorable canditions."

"A remarkable case was revenied the other packing-houses, however, business was practically suspanded, 1,000 under favorable canditions."

"Charles employees' demands that they withdraw

PETERSBURG AND VICINITY. Wound Resulted Fataily-Attempted

cial.)-Needham Williams (colored), who All public schools have closed. In fact, was shot by Oscar Sanders (colored) there were no services at any of the was shot by Oscar Sanders (colored) several days ago, at or near Emporia, fied at a late hour Saturday night, at Dr. P. W. Boyd, says there is just the slightest chance of ultimate recovery. The two men were employed as train hands. The boy is bright and intelligent, and his on the Atlantic-Coast Line. Sanders is

Reports have reached here that Thursday morning last Mr. Chr. Thursday morning last Mr. Charles Protlow, a prominent and well-known citizen of Southampton county, residing few miles from Ivor, attempted to with a horse and buggy belonging to him. take his life by cutting his throat with the man got the team to drive to Charles- a razor. He was prevented by friends The man got the team to drive to Charlestown to sell it to his father, he said, from inflicting serious injury, and it is promising to return next day. He has not been heard of since, and Mr. Shenk said, has been in bad health for some time, which fact is believed to have led

> During divine service at the First Bapist church, Sunday morning, a stranger who was in attendance arose from his sent and attempted to reach the door f the main aisle. He fell to the floor owever, in a convulsion, and was quick removed for the care of a physician An "identification card" was found pin-ned to the lapel of his vest. On this ap-peared the name of John Lipps, with peared the name of John Lipps, with the statement that he was subject to convulsions; that if found in one, not to give him liquor, and that if found dead, please to give him a Christian burial, as he is a Christian and a Bapst. The physician who examined him bund a large piece of his skull missing, by reason of an accident which befel him several years ago. When the unfortunate man recovered

onsciousness, he explained the stances of his condition, and said he was trying to reach his family, in Jacksonville, Fla., and had walked several hun-dred miles on the way. The incident aroused much sympathy in the church, and a sufficient amount was prompti; contributed to send Lipps to Jackson

GENERAL NEWS.

Applications for the purchase of many additional lots in this city, delinquent or State taxes, have been filed in the Clerk's office within the past few days.

The revival meetings, which have been in progress for the past few weeks at one or the other of the Methodist churches will be held this week at the Washington-Street church. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Wray, will be assisted in the services by all of the Methodist ministers of the city.

A missionary rally will be held next

Sunday morning at Market-Street Meth-odist Episcopal church. The sermon on occasion will be preached by Rev.

OUT IN HIGHLAND. A Youthful Mail Robber-Personal Notes. MONTEREY, VA., October 23 .- (Spe-

cial.)-The United States will have to look after a very youthful criminal in Highland, as soon as weightier matters will allow. On the mall route from Buckeye to Meadow Dale, the centractor's son, 14 years old, was placed on the line as carrier. On Friday evening, when the mail reached Mill Gap post-office, it was discovered that the peuch had been out and a registered letter rifled. Upon investigation it was found that the letter had contained \$30, and had been mailed to the Highland County Bank to meet a note. When accused and closely cor-nered, the boy confessed and produced the money, which he had hidden in a snuff box. The matter has been reported to the authorities at Washington.

L. S. Dickenson is new in Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Slaven have just Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Slaven have just returned from a trip to Green Bank, W. Va., where they attended the marriage of the latter's cousin. Miss Clara Belle Siple, daughter of Captain George D. Siple, and Mr. Andrew Cleek, son of George Cleek, Esq., whose home is near the Bath county line, twenty miles south of Montarey. of Monterey.

SOUTH BOSTON SCARE

Small-Pox-No Dauger of Sprend.

SOUTH BOSTON, VA., October 23.— (Special.)—Since Friday last the town has been in an uproar about small-pox, or some rather loathsome skin disease. There were five doctors in consultation over the disease, and a majority of them believe it to be small-pox. Compulsory ration it seems to be well established that negroes have been infected in re-mote parts of the town since last June. The colored people have had no physi-cians until very recently. Many cases are that a negro girl was employed in a whit family as nurse, and the child contracted the disease, as did one other child and one grown person, all living in the same house. These are all the white cases in own, and they are guarded, and there is d, and are quarantining against South PETERSBURG, VA., October 22.—(Spe-the town, and he sees no cause for alarm.

churches yesterday.

A pest-house will be established in few days, and the suspects will be place. in it, with guards to keep them within bounds. A physician will be placed in charge of the building by the proper authorities, and in a few days the smail-pox will be a thing of the past.

ROANOKE.

Went to Bristol to Marry-

Loss, \$8,000-No Insurance. ROANOKE, VA., October 23.-(Special.) John Mullins, councilman from the Third Ward, and Miss Florence Carper went to Bristol Sunday afternoon, where they

were made man and wife.

At Leesville, in Bedford county, Saturday afternoon, the home of ex-State-Senator J. L. Arthur was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at about \$5,000, with

no insurance. Valley City Notes.

STAUNTON, VA., October 23.—(Special.) A goodly crowd was in town to-day (court-day). In the court there was little other than a few formal motions made. With the approach of winter many horse and cattlemen strive to sell out their stock, to save costs of forege and feeding, so that to-day there was a brisk trade in live stock.

feeding, so that to-day there was a brisk trade in live stock.

Miss Annie Merrill, of Richmond, after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hoge, has returned home.

Mr. Kent Harrison, whose hand was crushed whilst coupling cars at Newport News a few days ago, is in the city, at the home of his father, Judge George M. Harrison. Mr. Harrison was treated at the Virginia Hospital in Richmond, and his wounded hand is mending well.

The Right Rev. A. Van de Vyver administered the rite of confirmation at St. Frances church yesterday after first mass, the preached eloquently at late mass and at vesuers.

at vespers.

Stonewall Camp of Confederate Veterans has passed resolutions expressing its sorrow at the death of Colonel J. J. Williams, of Winchester, who was twice frand Commander of the Grand Camp of

A petition has been circulated here ask-ig that the Legislature elect Hon, S. H., etcher to succeed himself as Judge of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit. The peti-on has been very generally signed by

Suits, Jackets, Capes, and Furs.

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